

1. A lighted stanchion cover for use with a stanchion extending outwardly
2 from a fixed surface comprising:
an elongated tubular body having an open end, and a closed end defining an
4 interior cavity, the open end and the interior cavity of the elongated tubular body being
dimensioned to receive the stanchion therein; and
6 a lighting assembly, having a light source interconnected to a power source, the
light assembly being secured relative to the body so that the light is visible exteriorly of
8 the interior cavity.

2. The lighting assembly of claim 1 wherein the power source is external to
2 the lighted stanchion cover.

3. The lighting assembly of claim 2 further includes an electronic circuit for
2 power management and control.

4. The lighting assembly of claim 3 further including a light source
2 receptacle for receiving a lamp.

5. The lighting assembly of claim 1 wherein the power source is a plurality
2 of photovoltaic devices that are supported by the elongated tubular body.

6. The lighting assembly of claim 1 wherein the power source is a battery.

7. The elongated tubular body defined in claim 1 wherein the body displays a
2 message.

8. The elongated tubular body defined in claim 1 wherein the message is
2 stenciled letters or an image upon the body.

9. The elongated tubular body defined in claim 1 wherein the body is one or
2 more light dispersing windows.

10. The elongated tubular body of claim 7 wherein the message is displayed
2 by a plurality of light sources supported by the thickness of the body.

11. The elongated tubular body of claim 10 wherein the plurality of light
2 sources are light emitting diodes.

12. A lighted stanchion cover for use with a stanchion extending outwardly
2 from a fixed surface comprising:

an elongated tubular body having an open end, and a closed end, and defining an
4 interior cavity, the open end and the interior cavity of the body being dimensioned to
receive the stanchion therein, and the body having an inner and outer surface defining a

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- 6 thickness, the inner and outer surfaces and the thickness defining a second cavity, the
second cavity being adapted to encapsulate a photo-luminescent mixture; and
- 8 a lighting assembly, having a light source interconnected to a power source, the
light assembly being supported within the interior cavity of the elongated tubular body,
- 10 and the lighting assembly not interfering with the elongated tubular body receiving the
stanchion.